

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Re: Inventor(s): Merwin H. Alferness, William J. Goetzinger, Kent H. Haselhorst, Lonny Lambrecht and Joshua W. Rensch  
 Title: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR ALLOCATING BANDWIDTH FOR A NETWORK PROCESSOR  
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☒ Request for Extension of Time (1 month)

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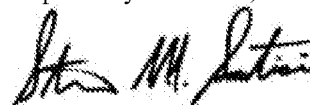
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